

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN DIVISION

METROPOLITAN LIFE INSURANCE  
COMPANY,

Plaintiff,

Case No.: 1:08-cv-322

v.

HONORABLE PAUL L. MALONEY

LINDA SUE MASON et al.,

Defendants.

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**ORDER ADOPTING MAGISTRATE JUDGE'S  
REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION**

The Court has reviewed the Report and Recommendation filed by United States Magistrate Judge Ellen S. Carmody in this action (Dkt. #25). The Report and Recommendation was duly served on the parties. No objections have been filed.

ACCORDINGLY, the Report and Recommendation is hereby adopted as the opinion of the Court.

**THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED** that Plaintiff's Motion to Add as Defendants Cindy Caswell and K.W., a minor, and Appoint a Guardian ad Litem for K.W. (Dkt. #23) is **GRANTED**.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that Cindy Caswell and K.W. are reinstated as defendants in this action.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the matter is referred to Magistrate Judge Ellen S. Carmody for appointment of such guardian.

Dated: February 4, 2009

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/s/ Paul L. Maloney

Paul L. Maloney  
United States District Judge